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DEAR SIR:

AT THE REQUEST OF MR.J.de LAGERBERGE OF PASSIAC, N.J., I AM SENDING YOU AN INDIAN PEACE MEDAL BY REGISTERED MAIL, HOPING THE MEDAL MEETS WITH YOUR APPROVAL I REMAIN;

YOURS TRULY, A. G. Parker.

THE PRICE IS $50.00 AND POSTAGE;

February 8th, 1915.

Mr. A. C. Parker,

Maxwell,

Nebraska.

Dear Sir:-

The Indian Peace Medal has just been received, and I enclose herewith my cheque to your order for fifty dollars, the amount at which I agreed to purchase it, providing it met with my approval.

Kindly acknowledge receipt, and greatly oblige,

Yours very truly,

Secretary.

December 22nd, 1923

Arthur C. Parker, Esq.
New York State Museum
Albany, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

At the suggestion of Mr. Pepper of the American Indian - Heye Foundation, I am writing to ask if you would be so good as to aid us with the Indian Peace Medal, of which I am enclosing a photograph. This medal is of silver and is 2¼ inch by 2½ inch - something less than the photograph. It has come into the possession of the New York Historical Society through the descendants of General Philip Schuyler to whom it was given by a Mohawk Indian Chief.

We should particularly like to know if anything regarding Indians whose names appear on the Reverse has been recorded; and whether there is any data with regard to an Indian Treaty which took place in 1750 - the date of the medal. The crudity of the work will hardly need to be called to your attention.

We should greatly appreciate any help that you are able to give us in the matter.

Very truly yours,

SPN/E

Secretary

January 9th, 1934

Arthur C. Parker, Esq.
State Archaeologist
Education Building
Albany, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Parker:

Thank you very much for your letter of January 8th. It gives us very valuable aid. I shall pass this on to the New York Historical Society. If you have any further information to add when you send the photographs later, you will increase our indebtedness to you.

I shall ask Mr. Wall to keep you informed as to any further results they may obtain in investigating this piece.

Very truly yours,

Secretary

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